

MR. MERCHANT.
An ad in The Eagle will bring buyer
and seller together.

THE WEATHER.
Tonight and Sunday unsettled
weather.



The Bryan Daily Eagle


AND PILOT

VOL. XXX, NO. 151.

BRYAN, TEXAS, SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1916.

PRICE \$4.00 PER ANNUM

May Order Occupation of Northern Mexico



An Ideal Summer Condiment

BATAVIA BRAND

TOMATO CATSUP

Only the whole ripe tomato.
No preservatives used. Delicious
flavor. 15c and 25c sizes.

Hardy Newton

WILL INDORSE THE ST. LOUIS PLATFORM

GREAT VIOLENCE ON VERDUN FRONT

State Chairman Waples Will Meet
With Tarrant County Democrats
to Indorse St. Louis Platform.

(By Associated Press.)
Fort Worth, Texas, June 24.—A
meeting of democrats of Fort Worth
and Tarrant County, called by Paul
Wales, chairman of the State Demo-
cratic Executive Committee, will be
held here tonight on the court house
lawn, for the purpose of indorsing the
action of the St. Louis convention in
renominating Woodrow Wilson and
Thomas Riley Marshall as standard
bearers of the democratic party. The
party's platform, as adopted at St.
Louis, was also to be ratified. The
meeting was called to express public-
ly the loyalty of Fort Worth demo-
crats to President Wilson.

POPE BENEDICT MAKES APPEAL

(By Associated Press.)
London, June 24.—A Rome wireless
dispatch says Pope Benedict has ap-
pealed to President Wilson and Car-
ranza to avert war.

RETURNS FROM OKLAHOMA.

Judge V. B. Hudson returned last
night from Hugo, Okla., where he has
been for the past several days visit-
ing his daughter, Mrs. W. Evans. The
judge made the trip up to that city
by auto with his son, Chas. B., and
returned on the train. Chas. B. will
return in a few days with the car. He
reports a most pleasant trip through
the country and says that he enjoyed
every bit of the trip, and, barring a
few punctures, they experienced no
trouble.

CORN PRODUCES POTATO.

Of the many different garden spec-
imens that have been brought to The
Eagle office this spring and summer,
Mrs. C. L. Baker capped the climax
yesterday afternoon when she brought
in a small stalk of corn with a good-
sized Irish potato growing from one
of the roots of the corn. This was not
grown in the potato patch but was in
the roasting ear row. The potato is
well tied to the root of the corn just
the same as if a product of the corn.
The specimen is on display in The
Eagle office.

No wonder the fair sex is clamor-
ing for equal rights. As it now stands,
when a man dies his better half is en-
titled to only a third of his estate.

RELATIONS AGAIN CLOSE TO THE BREAKING POINT

Washington Believes the Americans at Carrizal
Were Murdered and This May Cause a Break.
Further Report From Pershing Will Be
Awaited—Trevino Threatens More Trouble.
South American Republics May Offer to
Mediate.

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 24.—Relations be-
tween the United States and the de-
facto government are close to the
breaking point as a result of an ap-
parently well founded belief that the
American cavalry was massacred by
Carranzistas at Carrizal. Secretary
Lansing and Secretary Baker held an
early conference with President Wil-
son today and it is known that drastic
retaliation was considered. Neither
Lansing nor Baker would discuss the
developments. If Carranza accepts
responsibility for the act, it is con-
sidered virtually certain that Presi-
dent Wilson will order the occupation
of Northern Mexico as soon as suf-
ficient forces can be assembled. How-
ever, further reports from General
Pershing are awaited before the de-
cision is made.

EXPECT MORE TROUBLE.

(By Associated Press.)
Chihuahua City, June 24.—American
columns were seen advancing from
their Mexican field base in the direc-
tion of San Antonio, Mexico, and Gen-
eral Trevino issued orders to attack if
they did not immediately retreat.
"They'll get the same treatment as at
Carrizal," he said and his subordinates
will attack with him. General Trevino
believes all the survivors from Carrizal
have returned.

Two Troops Annihilated.

(By Associated Press.)
San Antonio, Texas, June 24.—The
complete disorganization of the two
troops in the Carrizal fight and prac-
tical annihilation of those actually in
the fight, was indicated in a report
from General Pershing today. Sixteen
men were picked up near Santa Maria.
All were horse holders and their
stories are almost identical with that
of other stragglers.

NOTHING TO MEDIATE.

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 24.—News that
some of the South and Central Amer-
ican countries, including Ecuador and
San Salvador, are preparing to in-
itiate offers of mediation between the
United States and Mexico, drew from
high officials today a strong intima-
tion that the United States was en-
gaged only in defensive protection
and it was considered there was nothing
to mediate so far as the policy of
this government is concerned.

May Me Carrizal Troops.

(By Associated Press.)
El Paso, Texas, June 24.—Army of-
ficers here believe the column bound
for San Antonio, which Trevino threat-
ened to attack, is probably composed
of the troops of the Carrizal battle.
As San Antonio is 50 miles southeast
of Namiagua, it is not known what
the Column's mission could be in that
direction unless it is searching for
bandits.

Mexicans Doubt Report.

(By Associated Press.)
El Paso, Texas, June 24.—Mexican

HEADQUARTERS FOR FIRST-CLASS GROCERIES

If you appreciate fresh groceries and prompt
service phone us.

PHONE 54 **Ramona** GROCERS PHONE 78

DIRECT EVIDENCE IS COMPLETED

HIGHER COURTS OF TEXAS ADJOURN

State and Defense in Katherine Har-
rison Case Rest Today—Girl
Breaks Down.

(By Associated Press.)
Fort Worth, Texas, June 24.—Both
the State and the defense rested to-
day in taking direct evidence in the
trial of pretty Mrs. Katherine Har-
rison, the 16-year-old wife who is
charged with the murder of W. L.
Warren, a rooming house keeper sev-
eral months ago. Mrs. Harrison's plea
is that Warren had wronged her. The
young girl broke down today for the
first time since the trial began. This
came when the State introduced testi-
mony arraigning her character prior
to the murder and her marriage to
Harrison.

VISIT EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

The summer normal and cotton
classing students of the A. & M. Col-
lege were treated to a trip to the ex-
perimental farm this morning by the
professors of the College. The trip
was made in autos which had been
provided and quite an interesting time
was had by this body.

TO THE LADIES.

Big reduction in prices on all sum-
mer dresses in silks, voiles and or-
gandies. Call before the sizes are too
badly broken. Webb Brothers.

Impison Captives.

(By Associated Press.)
Chihuahua City, June 24.—The 17
American negroes captured in the
Carrizal battle will be placed in the
penitentiary here. No arrangements
were made for removing them to
Juarez to be returned to the American
military authorities.

All Back But Forty.

(By Associated Press.)
Columbus, N. M., June 24.—All the
Americans in the Carrizal fight have
returned to the field base except 40
troopers, Captains Morey and Boyd
and Lieutenant Adair, according to a
report brought today by arrivals from
the interior.

REV. CHAS. T. TALLY PRESIDENT ALUMNI

Bryan Minister is Honored With
Presidency of Southwestern Uni-
versity Alumni Association.

Rev. Chas. T. Tally, pastor of the
First Methodist Church of this city,
returned last night from Georgetown,
where he has been for the past few
days attending the summer theologi-
cal school. While there at a meet-
ing of the Alumni Association of this
noted University of the Methodist de-
nomination, Rev. Tally was elected to
the presidency of the Alumnus, an
honor that is always bestowed on
some one who has proven worthy of
same. In selecting a president for the
incoming year the Alumni Association
of this school made no mistake, as
Brother Tally is not only worthy of
same but, will make a desirable pres-
ident.

Rev. Tally reports the summer
school this year at Georgetown the
best in years, both from a standpoint
of attendance as well as the excel-
lence of the course of study.

MODERN SHOE SHOP FOR CITY OF BRYAN.

Joseph Todaro Will Install Machinery
in New Shop That Will Be
Second to None.

Announcement was made this morn-
ing by Joseph Todaro, successor to
Todaro Bros., that on the first of the
coming month he would move his
shoe shop from the rear of the Astin
Building on Main Street to the rear
of the Commerce Building. A force
of workmen are busy today putting
the new quarters in first class condi-
tion, the big double door at the rear
of the building is being closed up and
a large entrance will be made on the
Anderson Street side just below the
Western Union office. Todaro has or-
dered new equipment for his place and
the machinery is of the most modern
type and is expected to arrive within
the next few days and be installed in
time for his opening. This gentle-
man has also purchased the shoe shop
of A. J. Wagoner and will consolidate
the two in his new quarters. Another
step of progress in Bryan, a shoe re-
pair shop of the most modern kind,
second to none in Texas.

COUNTRY CLUB ORGANIZERS MEETING WITH SUCCESS.

It was announced this morning by
the committee who have in charge the
organization of a Country Club for the
City of Bryan that they are meeting
with much success. One of the com-
mittee informed an Eagle representa-
tive that already between 70 and 80
members had been secured and that
they were not more than half through
soliciting in the city. Every one who
has been heartily in favor of the pro-
ject and the committee feels that the
required number will be secured by
the time of the meeting for permanent
organization next Monday. The com-
mittee is composed of the following:
O. E. Saunders, T. B. Bryan, Dr. W.
B. Cline, Dr. B. U. Sims, J. S. Doane,
A. S. Adams and F. L. Henderson.

Refrigerators

AT A BIG DISCOUNT

We are overstocked on high-grade porcelain-lined Refrigerators.
To dispose of our surplus Refrigerators we will close them out at

20 Per Cent Off Regular Price

If You Want One Come Quick

E. F. PARKS & CO.

Visit our Victrola Department.

"The Question of the Open Saloon"

Will be the theme at the First Christian
Church tomorrow at 11 a. m., June 25,
1916. Don't fail to hear the discussion of
this subject.

Text: "Woe unto him that giveth his
neighbor drink, that putteth thy bottle to
him and maketh him drunken also."—
Habakkuk 2:15.

ADD TO YOUR COMFORTS AT HOME

USE ELECTRICITY

BRYAN POWER COMPANY

Let Us---

Fit your home with new and attractive furniture at reason-
able prices.
Call and see us in our new location at Hensarling Merchan-
tile old stand.

W. T. JAMES, FURNITURE